

Proposed Bill No. 5223

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LCO No. 596

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: REP. ADINOLFI, 103rd Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING EXPEDITED DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 46b-67 of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that a court may enter a decree dissolving a marriage prior to the
- ninety-day waiting period when one of the parties to the divorce
- 4 proceeding is incarcerated for a crime related to a domestic violence
- 5 incident.

## Statement of Purpose:

To protect victims of domestic violence by expediting a divorce proceeding when one party to the proceeding is incarcerated for a crime related to a domestic violence incident.